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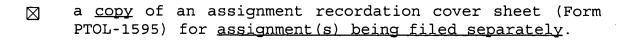
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- Enclosed is a check for \$575.00 in payment of the basic filing fee (\$380.00 + \$130.00 in additional claim fees), and the surcharge for late filing of declaration or oath (\$65.00).
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING Filing Date Granted

An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1:136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of □ \$65.00 for a small ntity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ⑤ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

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5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:	
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